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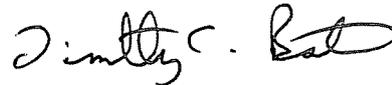
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To whom it may concern:

I find it very troubling that J.W Kinzer Drilling would make a request for an increase in their rates in November when people have no other option but to continue service with them. If a rate change had been made in summer then alternative means of heat could have been examined by consumers. Now consumers have no other option but to hope the Public Service Commission does the right thing.

I request that any rate change be done after the winter months are over. That way consumers can buy alternative sources of heat. To allow Kinzer to have a rate increase now would be very unfair. I also make a written request for intervention.

Sincerely,



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